

FROM

TALES OF THE UNUSUAL

STORY/ART BY SUNGDAE OH

TO KILL A MAGICIAN

EPISODE THREE

CRASH







OH MY GOD..
THE STAGE HAS BEEN
RUINED DUE TO
A TECHNICAL
MALFUNCTION!

WE'RE SORRY FOR
SURPRISING YOU.



NO VOLUNTEERS?



I'LL HAVE TO DO IT
MYSELF, THEN.

HAHA JAYCE,
THAT WAS A BIT
MUCH, WASN'T IT?

HAHAHA



I WOULD NEED MORE
MONEY TO PREPARE
MY NEXT ACT.

IS THAT SO?
I'M ALREADY LOOKING
FORWARD TO IT.



AS WE SPEAK,
THE SECOND BOX
PREPARED BY JAYCE
IS BEING BROUGHT
ON STAGE.

HIS ASSISTANTS HAVE
ALSO COME FORTH



AND ARE PLACING
HANDCUFFS
ON HIS WRISTS
AND ANKLES.

THE BOX HAS
EVEN BEEN
WRAPPED IN
CHAINS,



JAMES IS NOW
STUCK INSIDE!

HAH. SO HE WAS
PLANNING ON
DESTROYING THE
FIRST BOX ANYWAY.

LET'S SEE
WHAT HAPPENS.



I MESSED WITH
HIS HANDCUFFS
TOO.

WHAT?



JUST ONE MINUTE
TO ESCAPE!

START THE
COUNTDOWN!

FAILING A TRICK IS
THE MOST HUMILIATING
THING FOR A MAGICIAN..

3 SECONDS
REMAINING!

THREE..!

TWO..!

ONE..!

SHHHH



ROT IN HELL
SCUMBAG!!

CRAASHH



THE STAGE HAS BEEN
SHATTERED!

DID JAYCE SURVIVE
THE ACT?



HEHE...



OH!

THE BOX IS RUINED.
BUT THERE'S NO SIGN OF
JAYCE ANYWHERE!



!?





NEXT TIME
IT'LL BE YOUR
NECK.

W-WHERE'D
HE GO?



WHOA—
THIS IS HARD
TO BELIEVE!

THERE'S JAYCE—
COMING DOWN
THE AISLE!



PFF. SUCH AN
OBVIOUS ENDING
TO THE TRICK.

SO PATHETIC.

BUT HOW'D
HE ESCAPE FROM
THE HANDCUFFS
AFTER YOU...

HUH?











IS BEYOND WHAT
NORMAL HUMANS
CAN DO.

IT'S AS IF...

A man with a beard and mustache, wearing a dark suit and a white shirt, is laughing heartily with his mouth wide open. To his right, the back of a person's head with dark hair is visible, looking towards the man.

HAHAHA!!

AS IF WHAT?
HE'S GOT
SUPER POWERS?

OR HE SOLD
HIS SOUL TO
THE DEVIL?

I HAD NO IDEA
YOU HAD SUCH
AN ACTIVE
IMAGINATION!

REACH

TRY USING
THIS NEXT
TIME

WHAT'S THIS?





IT'S A PEN-SHAPED
TRANQUILIZER GUN.

IT WAS HARD TO
GET.

JAYCE IS SUPPOSED
TO DO ANOTHER ESCAPE
ACT IN A METRO STATION
NEXT WEEK.



GET HIM IN
THE NECK WITH
THIS RIGHT BEFORE
HE STARTS.

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ACTUALLY,
I'M AFRAID

WHAT IF
HE DOES
SOMETHING
TO ME...

WHAT ARE YOU
SO AFRAID OF?

JUST THINK
ABOUT IT
LOGICALLY!

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I CAN'T...
I'D BETTER QUIT...



NO... NO... NO...



LAST YEAR,
AT YOUR TRICK
ON THE ICY ROAD

A PERSON DIED
DURING REHEARSALS
BECAUSE OF
YOUR MISTAKE. I



HAVE YOU FORGOTTEN
WHO COVERED THAT
UP FOR YOU?



YOU'LL NEVER GET ANYWHERE IF YOU DON'T TAKE RISKS.

AS LONG AS HE'S ALIVE, WE'RE ALL AS GOOD AS DEAD.



DON'T DISAPPOINT ME.








HELLO, GANGYOO.
THIS IS YEONGSEOP KIM
FROM FANTA WORLD.

AH-- RIGHT.

THE REASON
I'M CALLING IS
ABOUT YOUR
PROPOSED SHOW.



THE SHOW HAS BEEN CANCELLED
BECAUSE SOMETHING CAME UP
FOR THE ORGANIZERS.

I'LL BE IN TOUCH
LATER. I'M VERY
SORRY.

A close-up illustration of a man with brown hair wearing a black cap and a black jacket. He is holding a black smartphone to his ear with his right hand. The background is a light gray with some faint, wispy lines.

DID JAYCE TAKE
OVER THE SHOW?

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WELL,
ACTUALLY YES.

AGAIN, I'M VERY
SORRY TO INFORM
YOU OF



KAP





THIS SUBWAY STATION'S
CONSTRUCTION WAS JUST
FINISHED LAST WEEK AND
WILL SOON BE OPENED.

THIS IS THE VERY SPOT
WHERE JAYCE WILL BE
PERFORMING HIS ESCAPE ACT
TODAY.

FOR TODAY'S SHOW,
JAYCE RENTED
THE ENTIRE STATION AND
A SUBWAY CAR.



BUSTLE

JAYCE HAS BEEN
WRAPPED UP
IN CHAINS FROM
HEAD TO TOE!

BUSTLE

WILL HE BE ABLE TO
SAFELY ESCAPE
THIS TIME?

AND I'VE JUST
GOTTEN NEWS

THAT THE SUBWAY CAR
HAS LEFT THE PREVIOUS
STATION!



To be continued..